

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Seizo SHIRADE : **Confirmation No. 7031**
Serial No. 10/575,973 : Group Art Unit 1781
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METHOD FOR STERILIZING AND : **Mail Stop: AMENDMENT**
PRODUCING A FISH-PASTE PRODUCT
BY USING MICROBUBBLES AND A
GERM-FREE FISH-PASTE PRODUCT
OBTAINED BY THE PRODUCTION
METHOD

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of August 23, 2011, please amend the above-referenced U.S. patent application as follows: